

CHAPTER XLVI.

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE "NORTH CAROLINA GOLD AMALGAMATING COMPANY."

Corporators.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That T. J. Cram, B. Arthur Mitchell, Augustine B. Crosby, Joseph G. Mitchell, Lloyd P. Smith, and their associates, successors and assigns, or any three of them, be, and they are hereby created and made a body politic and corporate by the name, style and title of "The North Carolina Gold Amalgamating Comp ny," and by such name and title shall have continuall succession for the purpose of working, mining, milling, purchasing, manufacturing, smelting, assaying, reducing or otherwise treating ores, earths, minerals and metals; and for building, erecting and owning machinery and fixtures for any of said purposes, or for sale, barter or exchange, and for holding, owning, leasing, mortgaging or selling such real or personal estate as may be necessary in connection with the other privileges herein granted; and to erect houses, mills and other buildings upon, and otherwise improve any lands leased or held by them; and for making, buying and selling such matters and things as appertain to their business; and shall be capable of suing and being sued, impleading and being impleaded, and of having and using a common or corporate seal, and the same to alter and change at pleasure; and of granting and receiving in its corporate capacity and name, property, real, personal and mixed.

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SEC. 2. The minimum capital stock shall be one hundred thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of not less than one hundred dollars each, with power to increase the capital stock from time to time, by a majority vote of the stockholders, to a sum not exceeding two million and one half (\$2,500,000) dollars.

SEC. 3. The principal office of the company shall be at "Gold Hill," Rowan county, with such branch offices located